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Morgan county goes for Geo. G.

Vest.

Rich Hill, Missouri, is enjoying a

boom this spring.

Third street would look so nice

paved like Ohio street. It should be

paved from Engineer street to the

fair grounds.

Some man who has had the exper-

ience asserts that a newspaper is as

easy to start and as hard to keep up

as a family.

"Pave Broadway" is a cry going up

from Engineer street to "Eden

Farm." Let it be so. The mutter-

ings are deep and firm.

The Farmer's alliance all over the

United States continues to grow

wide swath cut some where by their

votes next election.

The Princess of Wales is reported

as not being charmed with the pros-

pect of becoming a grandmother. The

distinction is too suggestive of age.

She will protest against the "logic of

events" by dressing more gayly than

ever.

In a Berlin cafe the coffee is not

only boiled by electricity, but a small

electric railway carries it to the var-

ious tables, so that the guests may

help themselves to their liking. The

establishment is also lighted and ven-

tilated by electricity.

There has evidently been more

shortages since the first of the year

than ever before, in the same length

of time. Telegrams yesterday from

Birmingham, Ala., and St. Paul,

Minn., state that shortage occurred in

both of the places by ascending

cashiers.

Boss Tweed was attacked for "par-

tisan reasons," among others. Yet

that did not secure for him the sym-

pathy and support of Samuel J. Til-

den and Charles O'Connor. But the

more plain Boss Quay's guilt appears

the better in his standing at the White

House, according to Russell Harrison's

Montana newspaper.

Tom Ward, a crusade dive keeper,

of Lathrop, Mo., was fined \$50 and

costs for allowing minors to play bil-

liards in his saloon. Mr. Ward is not

the only man who violates the law.

It is done in this town every day in

that respect, and if some people are

not careful they will have to answer

a like charge as Mr. Ward.

Hon. George H. Wallace, of Fay-

ette, Mo., was appointed, Tuesday,

consul general to Melbourne, Aus-

tralia. This is an appointment that

the people of Fayette and Mr. Wal-

lace's friends should feel grateful for,

as it is one of the best positions given

out, having a pecuniary value of

\$6,000 per annum and a pleasant

place to reside.

Now that congress is wrestling with

a proposal to forbid the use of the

American flag for advertising pur-

poses it should not neglect to include

in its anathema every attempt to con-

vert the flag into a pocket handker-

chief, or to impugn the patriotism of

half the people of the country by

taking the national emblem as a par-

tisan badge in a political campaign.

These uses were made of the flag in

in 1888, and they were more offensive

to patriotic reverence than the print-

ing of stove-blackening advertisements

on striped bunting can be.

Congressman Morrill is a smarter

man than Congressman Turner. He

has declared his intention to step

down and out without waiting for the

farmers to invite him to do so. There

is a new deal in Kansas, and the

sooner the "old war horses" discover

it, the better it will be for their future

peace of mind. There is not a con-

gressman from Kansas who does not

better represent the manufacturing

east than his own farmer constituency

—as was shown by the vote on the

McKinley bill. And if we mistake

not the temperament of a people so

intensely agricultural as are the citi-

zens of Kansas, not one of them will

be re-elected.

The First Step.

Perhaps you are run down, can't eat, can't sleep, can't think, can't do anything to your satisfaction, and you wonder what ails you. You should heed the warning, you are taking the first step into Nervous Prostration. You need a Nervous Tonic and in Electric Bitters you will find the exact remedy for restoring your nervous system to its normal, healthy condition. Surprising results follow the use of this great Nerve Tonic and Alternative. Your appetite returns, good digestion is restored, and the Liver and Kidneys resume their healthy action. Try a bottle. Price 50c at Mertz & Hale's drug store.

Early Rising Birds.

The thrush is audible about 4:30 in the morning. The quail's whistling is heard in the woods about 3 o'clock. The blackcap turns up at 2:30 on a summer morning. By 4 o'clock the blackbird waxes in the woods resound with his melody. The house sparrow and tomcat come last in the list of early-rising birds.

At short intervals after 4:30 the voices of the robin and wren are heard in the land.

The greenfinch is the first to rise, and sings as early as 1:30 on a summer morning.

The lark does not rise until after the chaffinch, linnet and a number of other hedgerow folk have been merrily piping for a good while.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cut Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chillsblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Mertz & Hale.

A Wonderful Similarity.

"Darling," he said, as he kissed the tips of her pretty little fingers, "why are you like the art practiced by all the presidingitors?"

"I don't know," she replied, shuddering slightly; "why am I?"

"Because, precious, you are slight of hand."—Chatter.

Rheumatism.

Is a blood poison and must be cured by altering the condition of the blood. Purify this Rheumatism cannot exist. Hume's Rheumatic Cure is a sovereign remedy for all blood, kidney and skin diseases. It is a free tonic and cures disease by purifying and enriching the blood—thus removing the cause. For sale by all Druggists at \$1 per bottle. Hume's Medicine Co., Atlanta, Ga., Proprietors. Try it and be convinced.

His Authority.

From Murray's Weekly.

"You mustn't hoe that corn with your face to the eastward," said Farmer Sparrowgrass to his hired man.

"Why not?" asked Bill.

"Because the old proverb say, 'Wetward ho!'"

Rich Harvest for a Michigan Farmer.

I have suffered for years with rheumatism, loss of appetite, and disordered blood, and after great expenditure of time and money, had almost given up all hope of relief. Hearing of Hildebrand's Rheumatic Syrup, I grasped it as a last resort, and after using six bottles, found almost entire relief. I am now able to work on my farm with ease, which I have not done for years, and I advise all persons suffering with rheumatism and other blood troubles, to try this medicine.

HARVEY PERRY,

Sold by all druggists. Prepared only by The Charles Wright Medicine Company, Detroit, Mich.

W. E. Bard, druggist.

Dimples Turned to Pimples.

Cincinnati Commercial Gazette.

Managing Editor—What was it that young fellow wanted?

Office Boy—He says that he wrote a sonnet titled "Dolly's Dimples," and it got into the paper headed "Dolly's Pimples," and that he wants it explained, as it got him into trouble with something he called his fiancée.

While the fields were roaming over, Breathing new-mown hay and clover, We'll think of her, as is our wont, Whose teeth and breath are, every day, White as white clover—sweet as hay, And all from using SOZODONT.

The Real Worth of Books.

Emerson.

There are many virtues in books, but the essential value is the adding of knowledge to our stock by the record of new facts, and, better, by the record of institutions, which distribute facts, and are the formulas which supercede all histories.

Advice to Mothers.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup should always be used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pains, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

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GRATUITOUS ADVICE.

This species of advice is not always acceptable, but in many instances much benefit would be derived were it acted upon. No section of the country is exempt from disease. To know the best means of combating this common enemy, with the least injury to our pockets and tastes, is certainly a great advantage. We must expect Torpid Liver, Congested Spleen, Vitiating Bile and Inactive Bowels, and all prudent persons will supply themselves with Turt's Pills, which stimulate the Liver, relieve the engorged Spleen, determine a healthy flow of Bile, thus regulating the bowels and causing all unhealthy secretions to pass off in a natural manner. "An ounce of preventive is worth a pound of cure." Be advised and use

Turt's Liver Pills,
Price, 25c. Office, 39 & 41 Park Place, N. Y.

HUMOROUS.

THAT EXPLAINED IT.

Teacher—Come here, Tommy, and sit down.

Tommy—Don't waiter. I'd rather stand.

Teacher—Why, how is that, Tommy?

Tommy—Pa smashed his finger in the door this morning and I laughed.

—The Jury.

Who did you say that man was?

The architect of the hotel.

Well, he don't look like one.

That is, he's the man who builds the fires.

Oh!

Queenie McGovern.—Mr Bitzer,

your presence has become odious to me.

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